UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

MARVIN BERNSTEIN, Director,

Mental Hygiene Legal Service,

First Judicial Department, and

MICHAEL B., EUGENE C., and

EDDIE L., patients at Kirby Forensic

Psychiatric Facility, on behalf of themselves
and on behalf of all others

similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

-V.-

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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GEORGE E. PATAKI, in his official capacity as Governor of the State of New York, SHARON CARPINELLO, in her official capacity as Commissioner of the New York State Office of Mental Health, and EILEEN CONSILVIO, in her official capacity as Director of Kirby Forensic Psychiatric Facility,

Defendants.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all Plaintiffs in the above-named case hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit from each and every part of the order dated December 13, 2005 and entered on the docket on December 19, 2005, which granted Defendants' motion to dismiss their action for failure to state a claim upon which relief could be granted and denied Plaintiffs' class certification motion as moot; and from the judgment entered in this action on December 23, 2005.

Dated: New York, New York January 12, 2006 MARVIN BERNSTEIN, Director Mental Hygiene Legal Service, First Dept.

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